

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

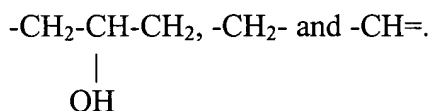
LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (currently amended): An anion exchanger which is a fine particle having bound to the surface thereof a polyamine having a number average molecular weight of at least 50,000, wherein said fine particle is a porous particle having pores having an average diameter of at least 150 Å, and wherein said fine particle has a diameter in the range of 1 μm to 100 μm.

Claim 2. (canceled).

3. (currently amended): The anion exchanger according to claim 1, wherein the ~~polyamide~~ polyamine is polyethyleneimine.

4. (original): The anion exchanger according to claim 3, wherein the polyethyleneimine is bound to the surface of the particle through at least one group selected from the group consisting of



Claims 5-6. (canceled).

7. (original): A packing for chromatography, which is comprised of the polyamine-bound fine particle as claimed in claim 1.

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Claim 8. (canceled).

9. (original): A packing for chromatography, which is comprised of the polyamine-bound fine particle as claimed in claim 3.

10. (original): A packing for chromatography, which is comprised the polyamine-bound fine particle as claimed in claim 4.

11. (original): A column for chromatography, which is packed with the packing as claimed in claim 7.

Claim 12. (canceled).

13. (original): A column for chromatography, which is packed with the packing as claimed in claim 9.

14. (original): A column for chromatography, which is packed with the packing as claimed in claim 10.

Claim 15. (canceled).